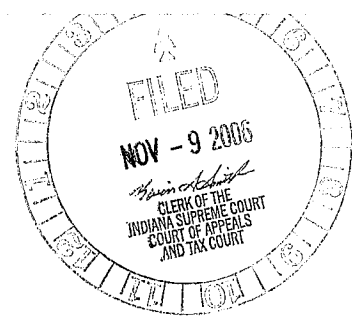


In the  
Indiana Supreme Court



STATE OF INDIANA	)	Supreme Court No. 34S00-0610-SJ-368
	)	
vs.	)	
	)	Case No. 34D02-0602-FC-36
TRACEY RHODES	)	in the Howard Superior Court

**ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL JUDGE**

Comes now the Clerk of the Howard Superior Court, and pursuant to Ind. Criminal Rule 15, certifies this matter here for the appointment of a special judge.

And this Court, being duly advised, now finds that a special judge should be appointed to hear this matter in the Howard Superior Court, No. 2 pursuant to Ind. Criminal Rule 15.

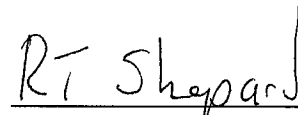
IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that jurisdiction of this matter is withdrawn from the Honorable Stephen M. Jessup, who is directed to file a report with the Indiana Supreme Court pursuant to Ind. Trial Rule 53.1(F).

IT IS THEREFORE, FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable William C. Menges, Jr. is appointed as special judge to hear this matter in the Howard Superior Court, No. 2. This order vests jurisdiction in Judge Menges. Pursuant to Ind. Trial Rule 79(K), an oath of office is not required.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward notice of this Order to the Hon. Stephen M. Jessup, Howard Superior Court, Courthouse, #304, Kokomo, IN 46901-9004; to the Hon. William C. Menges, Howard Superior Court, Courthouse, Kokomo, IN 46901-9004; and to the Clerk of the Howard Superior Court.

The Clerk of the Howard Superior Court is directed to forward notice of this Order to all parties of record in the case below.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006.

  
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Randall T. Shepard  
Chief Justice of Indiana